



BEARFACTS 1991 – 2001

Gentry , Missouri [29075]

Gentry is one of 115 counties in Missouri. It is not part of a Metropolitan Area. Its 2001 population of 6,778 ranked 105th in the state.

PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME

In 2001 Gentry had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$22,238. This PCPI ranked 48th in the state and was 80 percent of the state average, \$27,816, and 73 percent of the national average, \$30,582. The 2001 PCPI reflected an increase of 5.0 percent from 2000. The 2000-2001 state change was 2.1 percent and the national change was 2.5 percent. In 1991 the PCPI of Gentry was \$14,382 and ranked 53rd in the state. The 1991-2001 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 4.5 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.2 percent and for the nation was 4.4 percent.

TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME

In 2001 Gentry had a total personal income (TPI) of \$150,728*. This TPI ranked 104th in the state and accounted for 0.1 percent of the state total. In 1991 the TPI of Gentry was \$97,941* and ranked 101st in the state. The 2001 TPI reflected an increase of 3.9 percent from 2000. The 2000-2001 state change was 2.8 percent and the national change was 3.5 percent. The 1991-2001 average annual growth rate of TPI was 4.4 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 5.2 percent and for the nation was 5.6 percent.

COMPONENTS OF TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME

Total personal income includes net earnings by place of residence; dividends, interest, and rent; and personal current transfer receipts received by the residents of Gentry. In 2001 net earnings accounted for 50.5 percent of TPI (compared with 48.2 in 1991); dividends, interest, and rent were 22.8 percent (compared with 25.5 in 1991); and personal current transfer receipts were 26.8 percent (compared with 26.3 in 1991). From 2000 to 2001 net earnings decreased 1.8 percent; dividends, interest, and rent increased 9.2 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 11.5 percent. From 1991 to 2001 net earnings increased on average 4.9 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 3.2 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 4.6 percent.

EARNINGS BY PLACE OF WORK

Earnings of persons employed in Gentry decreased from \$71,800* in 2000 to \$68,402* in 2001, a decrease of 4.7 percent. The 2000-2001 state change was 2.1 percent and the national change was 3.1 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1991 estimate of \$45,662* to the 2001 estimate was 4.1 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 5.3 percent and for the nation was 5.8 percent.

**Note: All income estimates with the exception of PCPI are in thousands of dollars, not adjusted for inflation.*

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